

REMARKS

In the parent application, the Examiner allowed and ultimately issued claims 48-125 and has objected to Claims 2, 6, 7, 9, 12, 13, 15-17, 19, 22, 24, 25, 28-31, 36, 38, 40-47, and 127 but deemed them allowable. Applicant has filed this continuation application to prosecute Claim 126 chiefly as it originally appeared in the application.

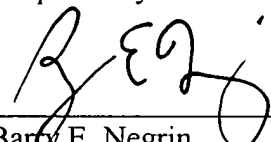
Claim 126 was originally rejected under § 102(b) as anticipated by Loibl. Applicant respectfully points out that the claim calls for the housing of the device is part of a refrigerator, a teaching that is absent from the prior Loibl patent. The prior patent teaches that the cooling medium can be cooled by refrigeration, but there is no teaching or suggestion of making the inventive device integral with the door of a refrigerator. Applicant has amended the claim to point out that the device is part of a household refrigerator to quantify this distinction. Claim 126 should now be allowed.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant submits that Claim 126 as amended above recites patentable subject matter and that the application is in condition for allowance. **Applicant respectfully requests a telephonic interview with the Examiner to discuss any further changes that might be deemed necessary.** Prompt and favorable action toward the issuance of a patent is earnestly solicited and believed to be fully warranted. Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any additional required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. **02-2105**.

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